

FALL BAZAAR!

It's Baaaaack!! The Annual Elk River Church of the Nazarene FALL BAZAAR... Shop Till You Drop Event will be on Saturday November 12, 2022 from 9am-2pm. There will be many of your favorite vendors, crafters and artisans all in one location! We are now accepting applications for table rentals! You rent the table for \$25/table, sell your products/arts and crafts, etc., then keep any profit for the items you sell. This is a vendor/arts and crafts event. **Rummage sale items will not be allowed for this event.** All proceeds are going to support future events for the Adult Ladies Ministries. Contact Tabby Stutler for more info! Tstutler@msn.com 304-550-3240.

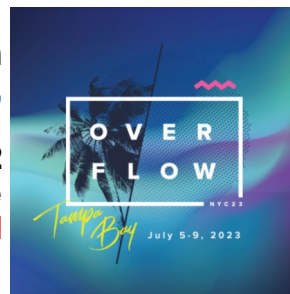


**Sonfest is coming up on Saturday,
September 17th!
See Pastor Craig for details
on buying tickets!**

Volunteer!

If you would like to volunteer to help out with the West Side Gathering on the 1st & 3rd Sundays of each month. Please contact Robin McFarland or Jeff & Sandy Boggess. We provide a meal for the people there, and also need servers and people to help set up/clean up.

If you have a high school student interested in attending the **Nazarene Youth Convention in Tampa, FL, next summer**, please see Pastor Craig or Allan Jones for application information! Students grade 9-12 are eligible, including those going into the 9th grade and those who will have graduated in 2023. **Early Bird Registration is open & closes Oct. 15th!**



WELCOME TO ELK RIVER NAZARENE CHURCH

August 21, 2022

*"The point is this: whoever sows sparingly
will also reap sparingly,
and whoever sows bountifully
will also reap bountifully.*

*Each one must give as he has decided in his heart,
not reluctantly or under compulsion,
for God loves a cheerful giver.*

*And God is able to make all grace abound to you,
so that having all sufficiency in all things at all times,
you may abound in every good work."*

—2 Corinthians 9:6-8

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You Belong! You have found a place where you fithere among friends. Join in the singing & worship together with us today! We look forward to learning & navigating life together as a church family with you!

You have a place to belong here at The River!

Check out our church facebook page or website for more information on all of our upcoming services and events!



Prayer List—Our Church Family

Gail Bennett—recovery/health
 Don Bickley—health
 Jake Buckner—health
 Barbara Kees—COVID
 Danny & JoAnn Lucas—health
 Sue McMinn—COVID
 Tony & Debbie Petry—COVID
 Shelby Radcliffe—health
 Edna Surface—health
 Lonnie Surface—health
 Susan Swiney—health
 Jackie Ward—health
 Bill & Lucy Wiseman—health
 Linda Wiseman—caregiving
 Our Children, Teens & College Students
 *Unspoken requests from our church family
 *Pray for those in nursing homes & homebound
 PROTECTION & GUIDANCE FOR OUR MILITARY
 AND GOVERNMENT LEADERS

Prayer List—Family & Friends

***Requests will be left on our list for at least two weeks then may be removed.**

Diane Byer—brain tumor; friend of Debbie Petry
 Johnny Compton—health; friend of Pastor Randy
 Joyce Evans—lost home in flood; Betty Hoover's mom
 Clarence & Linda Huddleston—health; Jackie Ward
 Missy McKenzie—colon cancer; Bret Layton's sister
 Kim Peters—Stage 3 cancer; Janice Ledsome contact
 Doris Washington—cancer; Janice Ledsome contact

PRAYER CONNECTION

Prayer requests may be given in several ways. You may email your request to connect@elkrivernaz.com at anytime or you may call the Church Office at 304-342-6052 for special requests Monday-Friday from 9:00 am until 3:00 pm. After hours, simply call the main number and you will be auto-prompted to the Pastor's mail box. Your request will be handled in confidence in whatever manner it is received, via e-mail or by phone.

For immediate response, please call Rev. Randy Ledsome at 304-541-1910.

ENCOURAGING THE FAMILY

Sue McMinn
2711 Rummel Drive
Chas., WV 25302
(COVID)

Tony & Debbie Petry
2961 Wills Ck. Rd.
Elkview, WV 25071
(COVID)

Barbara Kees
5004 Black Oak Dr.
Cross Lanes, WV 25313
(COVID)

CELEBRATIONS THIS WEEK

BIRTHDAYS

21 Terry Shrader	23 Susan Green	25 Marvin Taylor	26 Tom Stuck
22 Dee Gunno	Joe Wagner	Jackie Ward	Brooke Townsend
Allison Woodruff	24 Dawn Ashworth	26 Brayden Hundley	27 Jonnie Blackburn

ANNIVERSARIES

23 Scott & Alicia Chandler	26 Dennis & Vickie Marcum
25 Bill & Rosa Burdette	28 Kirby & Robin McFarland

If your birthday or anniversary does not appear in the bulletin when it should, please contact the church office.

FAMILY ACCOUNTABILITY

2022-23 Church Year

Weekly Need:	\$ 7,896.00
8/14/22 Offering	\$ 5,028.60
YTD Income:	\$ 86,979.44
YTD Expenses:	\$ 91,462.57

22/23 Mortgage Principal	\$ 2,108.00
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Faith Promise/World Evangelism Goal	\$ 18,500.00
Amount Received	\$ 3,665.00

Last Week's Attendance:	Sunday AM Worship	131
	Sunday PM	44
	Wednesday	62

Sunday Worship Services

9:00 a.m.	Continental Breakfast in the Coffee Shop
9:00 a.m.	Worship at Chas. 1st
9:30 a.m.	Firm Foundations Adult Life Group in the Fellowship Hall CIA/VIP Adult Life Group in the CIA Room Worship at ERNC (with Live Streaming) Beginners Church in Celebration Station (Age 3—K) Children's Church in the River Kids Zone (1st—5th Grade) Nursery (Birth to 35 months)
10:30 a.m.	
5:30 p.m.	This Is My Story with Michelle Bailey in the Fellowship Hall

Tuesday

10:00 a.m.	Prayer Meeting in the Sanctuary
6:30 p.m.	NDI Meeting in the RKZ at 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday

8:30 a.m.	Men's Bible Study Group in the Fellowship Hall
6:30 p.m.	Into the Word Adult Life Group in the Sanctuary Encouragers Adult Life Group in the Encouragers Room Children's Life Group in the River Kids Zone (Age 3—5th Grade) DV8 Teen Group in the Tower Next Steps Class in the Conference Room Adult Choir Practice in the Choir Room
6:30 p.m.	Evening Service at First Church with Rev. Bill Burdette

UPCOMING EVENTS



THIS IS MY STORY WITH MICHELLE BAILEY

August 21st at 5:30 p.m.
Menu will be Pizza,
Salad, and Dessert.
Please sign up in the foyer!

Revival Services

Revival Services with Rev. Billy Huddleston will begin on Sunday, August 28th and go through Wednesday, August 31st! Make plans to attend this time of renewal!

The Service Schedule is as follows:

Sunday AM: Both Churches

Sunday 6 PM: ERNC

Monday 6:30 PM: 1st Church

Tuesday 6:30 PM: ERNC

Wednesday 6:30 PM with Dinner at 5:30: 1st Church



Ladies Night Out
will be September 6th,
at 6 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.
Movie Night!

**Please sign up in the foyer,
and pre-pay (\$10) by September 4th.**

October's LNO will be a seasonal craft night!
Please sign up and pre-pay by September 6th
to participate! Crafts range from \$20—\$40. Please add \$5 for food.
Information is in the foyer.

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

We will sponsor a blood drive on Thursday, September 1st,
From 2—7 p.m. All types are needed!
No appointment is necessary.
Please sign up in the foyer if you plan to donate!

Our Annual Church Picnic will be on
Sunday, September 25th, starting at 1 p.m.
at Coonskin Park's Columbia Shelter #1.
More details coming soon!



August Crisis Care Kit Item: 1 Fingernail Clipper

The Annual District Ladies Day will be held on Saturday, September 10th in Summersville. Registration begins at 9 a.m.
Early registration forms are available in the foyer!

**CHILDREN & TEEN SUNDAY MORNING LIFE GROUPS
WLL RESUME ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11TH, AT 9:30 A.M.!**
Make plans now to bring your children back to Sunday School!

*Thank you for all of your prayers and cards during the loss of my
husband, Paul Canaday II. Your love and support at Paul's
funeral meant a lot to us! —LeaVada Canaday and Family*

*We want to thank you for the cards, messages,
and especially the prayers for my recent surgery and hospital stay.
—Joe and Nancy Strickland*